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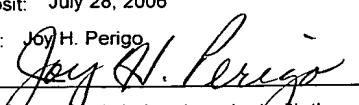
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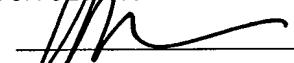
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**RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Examiner:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated May 4, 2006 (hereinafter the “Current Action”), please consider the following response:

The **Current Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.